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SUBJ: OCEAN SHIPPING: USE OF TURKISH FLAG VESSELS

1. LOCAL AGENT US SHIPPING LINE CALLED ON CONGENOFF AUG 8 TO POINT OUT IN HIS OPINION NEW FINMIN COMMUNIQUE (SERI VII, NO 155 IN OFFICIAL GAZETTE OF JULY 26, 1975) DISCRIMINATORY AND HARMFUL TO US SHIPPING INTERESTS.

2. PORTION OF COMMUNIQUE RESTRICTS TURKISH IMPORTS AND EXPORTS TO TURKISH FLAG VESSELS UNLESS SUCH TRADE GOVERNED BY INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT OR UNLESS USE OF TURKISH VESSEL IMPOSSIBLE. BURDEN OF PROOF IN LATTER CASE APPARENTLY FALLS ON AGENT.

3. ANOTHER LOCAL AGENT EXPRESSED OPINION REGULATION CONTRARY TURKEY'S COMMITMENTS TO OECD.

4. IF TRACTS OUTLINED ABOVE CORRECT, WE BELIEVE EMBASSY WILL WANT TO RAISE SUBJECT WITH FINMIN IN EFFORT TO REVERSE DISCRIMINATORY ACTION.

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